GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA

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COAL MINES OF SOUTH EASTERN COAL FIELDS
DALPAT SINGH PARASTE

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the villages selected for development within 8 kilometer radius of coal mines being operated by S.E.C.L. in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) whether arrangement for meeting primary requirements of these villages have been made by S.E.C.L;

(c) if so, the details thereof, projects-wise;

(d) the expenditure incurred so far; and

(e) the amount sanctioned and utilised for mining and the development works of the last three years?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR COAL (SHRI N.T.SHANMUGAM)

(a) No particular village is selected for community development . At the same time , need-based peripheral developmental activities under Community Development Programme are taken by the company in the villages fallings within the radius of 8 Km. of operation of the mines.
(b) Yes Sir.
(c) The peripheral development activities undertaken in the villages which are covered under Community Development Programme are mostly in the following areas

1. Construction/Repair of Community centre.
2. Installation of Hand Pump.
3. Repairs of Hand Pumps.
4. Construction/Extension/Repairs of Educational Institute buildings.
5. Construction/Repairs of roads/Culverts.
6. Medical services and health camps.
7. Construction of Bus Stand.
8. Providing electric poles, conductors etc.
9. Other miscellaneous works.

(d) The expenditure incurred during the year 2000-2001 upto September 2000 is Rs.0.61 crore

(Provisional)

(e) The deteails of capital expenditure incurred against the mines/projects and the Community Development expenditure incurred during the last three years are given below-

(Rs. IN CRORE)

YEAR	CAPITA EXPENDITURE AGAINST THE MINES AND PROJECTS	COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURE
1997-98	341.00	0.61
1998-99	309.00	1.59
1999-2000	618.00	2.36